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TERMS-\$1.50 IN ADVANCE

A Mighty Sale 15 to 30 PER CENT. DISCOUNT

MEN'S SUITS 15 to 30 per cent. off.—That's the whole story in a nutshell, and it's true—not a word of exaggeration in this statement—the values are correct, the goods are here. Evidence is better than talk. The policy of our clothing department is not to carry over any of this season's stock for next season's selling.

Men's Overcoats 15 to 30 per cent. off.—Every garment is in perfect order and in the latest style. Our Clothing is marked in plain figures. Deduct 15 to 30 per cent. from the marked price, and that will be the price during this sale. This sale commences today—it's a money saver. If you expect to keep on wearing clothes you can't afford to stay away.

This sale is under my Own Personal Supervision. I have no Chicago agents looking after my business. I am under no extra expense and intend to give my customers the benefit of the reductions now in order.

THE "HUB" CLOTHING STORE

P. F. SELBEL, Proprietor.

Shoes and Slippers.

We are today in receipt of Twenty (20) new numbers of Moore-Shafer's Celebrated Shoes, 560 pairs. We can fit the most fastidious in fancy. We can fit the most difficult in shape and we can fit the most careful buyer. Never mind the sales they are all right. But we will do better by you than they will if you will come and give us a chance.

SPAFFORD & COLE.

DRUGS, MEDICINES AND CHEMICALS.

Sponges, Syringes, Soaps, Combs and Brushes,
PERFUMERY, FANCY AND TOILET ARTICLES, ETC.

PREScriptions CAREFULLY AND ACCURATELY COMPOUNDED

F. E. KRETLOW, Pharmacist.

We wish to announce that we have a splendid line of books to read this cold weather, all the best authors. Call and look over the list.

Fine Candy, Nuts, Etc.

Can be found in abundance at the store of

C. D. BRONSON, Stationer.

INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED

Routes of Mail Carriers Designated and Hours for Service Given—Two Deliverys Each Day.

The following letter of instruction has been received by Postmaster F. E. Parker relative to the free delivery of mail which goes into effect Monday:

DEAR Sir—I just managed to complete my report on the matter of proposed free delivery at your office, and as the carriers' districts were not definitely located before leaving your city, I now write this, to tell you of my decision in the matter.

Route No. 1, John W. Gilligan, carrier, to begin opposite the postoffice on west side of Brown street, thence north on west side of Brown to Rivers, thence to Alban, to Frederick, serving all territory between the route already covered, and the C. & N. W. tracks, and all territory in the proposed free delivery district north of Frederick street, except one-half block of Brown and Stevens streets.

Of this route, all territory lying north of Monroe street, is to be limited to one delivery daily.

Route No. 2, E. H. Reid, carrier, to begin at postoffice taking east side of Brown to Rivers, then half-blocks of Brown to one-half block north of Frederick, Frederick from one-half block east of Alban to eastern limit, Stevens from one-half block north of Frederick to one-half block south of Rivers, Pelham from Frederick to Davenport, Rivers east of Brown, and all the free delivery district lying north of the C. & N. W. tracks and east of a line drawn one-half block east of Pelham, and not already assigned to Route No. 7, together with the triangle south of tracks known as Claude Shepard's lots.

Route No. 3, Ray M. Markscarrier, necessarily comprises the balance of the free delivery district, being as follows: Beginning at postoffice south on Brown to C. & N. W. working north along track to point opposite postoffice adjoining Route No. 1 at that point, King street to one-half block east of Pelham, Stevens to one-half block north of Davenport, Davenport from one-half block west of Stevens to Pelham, Pelham from Davenport to Park St. and all territory south of the C. & N. W. except the triangle already assigned to route No. 2.

I have proposed the following schedule:

All carriers report 6:15 a. m. leave 7 a. m., return 10:10 a. m., end 10:30 a. m.

Two carriers report 11 a. m., leave 11:10 a. m., return 11:35 a. m., end 11:40 a. m.

All carriers report 1:30 p. m., leave 2:00 p. m., return 4:30 p. m., end 4:25 p. m.

One carrier report 8:00 p. m., leave 8:00 p. m., return 8:35 p. m., end 8:40 p. m.

The second trip to be made by two carriers to cover the business district and such other territory as could be reached within schedule time.

The trip at 8 p. m. is for collection only and would reach all boxes possible within the time given.

I sincerely trust that your clients will soon enjoy the advantages of the Free Delivery system, and that you will experience no trouble in the establishment of the new service.

Very respectfully,

GEO. P. REINDEBACH,
P. O. Inspector.

As stated last week every effort should be made to facilitate the work of the carriers by those who expect to receive mail by this service.

See to it that the names of all persons and the correct street and number is given the carrier who serves you and that all correspondence as far as possible is directed to this number. The placing of private letter boxes will also aid the prompt delivery of mail. It should also be remembered that carriers will register letters that may be offered for this purpose but they will not register packages or parcels.

Attend the Farmers' Course.

All our farmer readers who attend the two-weeks' Farmers' Course at the University, beginning February 1st, should bear in mind that the railroads will grant a third fare rate

on returning, providing the applicant secures a receipt for money paid when he buys his ticket to Madison. Take a receipt for each ticket you buy and have this stamped at Madison by Dean Henry. Then you can return

for one-third fare. Dean Henry writes

us that dozens of letters are coming

to his office each day inquiring about the course or promising to be in attendance.

A Splendid Attraction.

"We are King" at the opera house Saturday night was one of the best attractions ever presented in Rhinelander. Walker Whitehead and the company presenting the play gave splendid satisfaction although the lack of room on the stage prevented the changing of much necessary scenery. It is to be hoped that the attraction may be presented herein in the future under more favorable conditions.

Agree Fractured Arm.

Thomas McGroarty is confined to his room at the Alpine Hotel with his right arm in a sling as the result of having fallen on an ice sheeted walk, badly fracturing the member. He was entering the Anderson street entrance to the hotel when the accident occurred. Since early in the winter Thomas has been in the employ of the Hatten Lumber Co. in O'Brien's camp near Gagen, and arrived in Rhinelander Monday for a short visit. He has a hospital ticket and carries an accident policy.

Death of Mrs. Post.

After an illness of several months with consumption, Mrs. Sarah J. Post, a north side lady, died Sunday at her home on Eagle street. Short funeral services were conducted at the house Monday afternoon, Rev. Wilts of the H. E. church officiating. The remains were taken to Prentiss, Price county, the former home of the deceased for burial Tuesday morning.

Former Stage Conductor Dead.

The funeral of the late Michael J. Reedy, a former "Star" stage freight conductor, took place last Friday afternoon at his home in Gladstone, Mich. Mr. Reedy's death occurred Wednesday of last week at Hopkinsville, Ky., after a short illness with typhoid fever. He had been treated in that section for some time past in the employ of southern railway. For years he had charge of a freight run on the Soo road and had a wide acquaintance among the railway boys. He leaves a wife and four children to mourn his departure. Reedy was a member of the O. R. X. C. and B. O. T. lodges of Gladstone.

FROZEN IN THE WOODS

John Brott Wanders Off Between Jeffries and Camp and is Found Dead by Searching Party.

John Brott, employed by the Warden Lumber Company in one of their camps on section 33 of 35-10 went to Bandy, or Jeffries, a letter known, Sunday, and in returning to camp that night lost his way. When found by a party sent out to search for him life was extinct. Feeling that the circumstances leading up to his death would bear investigation Justice Salmon was summoned to hold an inquest Tuesday and accompanied by Under-Sheriff Dolan went to Jeffries but upon acquainting himself with such facts as were then obtainable set the inquest for yesterday afternoon at 12:30. The body was brought to Hikelman's undertaking rooms in this city Tuesday.

At yesterday's inquest the testimony received showed the deceased to have been at the saloon at Jeffries Sunday, to have drunk some and to have had an altercation with Cook, the saloonkeeper, in which Cook knocked him down and jumped on him. Mrs. Garner and Bell, who held a post-mortem testified that Brott had sustained no injuries to which his death could be traceable.

The jury found that death resulted from fatigue and exhaustion by cold. Brott was 23 years old and formerly lived near Tuscola, Michigan, to which place the body was sent today. Mrs. E. M. Allen of this city, a sister of the deceased, accompanied the remains to Michigan.

At the Grand Next Week.

The International Bioscope company gave its fourth and last performance to a well pleased audience at the Grand Saturday. The pictures presented by this company proved to be all that was claimed for them, many of them being presented in natural colors and without the usual flicker and vibration so common to other machines, each picture being clear and distinct. The collection of pictures presented such well known reproductions as "Uncle Tom's Cabin," "Mr. Joseph Jefferson in His Van Winkle, Little Red Riding Hood, A Voyage to the Moon, Robinson Crusoe, Delhi Dunbar, India, International Yacht Races, Santos Dumont and his air ship, Great English Stag Hunt, etc. The audience seemed to greatly enjoy the comic and mysterious pictures that were introduced between the above subjects none of which had ever been seen here before.

Superior, Wis., Evening Telegram Jan. 4, 1904.

The Bioscope comes to the opera house for two nights Thursday and Friday, Feb. 4th and 5th. Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents.

An Expensive (2) Kil.

According to a press dispatch Mrs. Carrie Bechtel Neale of Tacoma, Wash., is suing Fred Herrick, a wealthy Milwaukee lumberman, for \$5,000 in the court at Superior, Wis. She has a note purporting to be signed by Herrick for that amount, dated in 1894, and she claims that it was given her in settlement of trouble she threatened when Mr. Herrick forcibly kissed her and otherwise paid her offensive attention. His note fell due five years from October 9, 1894.

Herrick declared it to be a forgery, claiming that he drew the note up for Mrs. Neale to be signed by another man, and that his name was filled in afterwards.

Plaintiff was running the boarding house for the Flambeau Lumber company, of which Herrick is one of the principal owners, at the time of the alleged assault. John Barnes, of this city and W. D. Dwyer, of Superior, are appearing for the defendant.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Tompkins entertained at a six o'clock dinner Friday evening. After dinner the evening was spent in progressive euchre. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cruse, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brown, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Trumbull, Mr. and Mrs. S. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. LaSelle, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Weesner, Dr. and Mrs. Illinois, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. O'Connor, Mrs. Kate McIndoe, Mrs. Frank Swett, Dr. T. B. McIndoe and Arthur Taylor.

Railway Hydrant Frozen.

The cold weather played havoc with the North-Western water hydrants at this station. The two main hydrants which furnish water for passenger locomotives were frozen so tight that it took over half a day to thaw them out and in the mean time all engines were obliged to get water from the old tank on the freight track. Yesterday morning the hydrant on the south end of the depot platform burst and covered the platform and surrounding tracks with ice, making it impossible for trains to pass on the main line.

Mr. Jessie Prudeaux entertained at progressive cards Friday evening for her sister, Miss Belle Horr.

Ten tables were played at which Chas. McIndoe and Miss Cora Holliday won the high honors.

Minna Neale St. Louis.

The world's fair management at St. Louis has received official notice from the Wisconsin National guard that its invitation to the soldiers to camp on the grounds has been accepted for the ten days, beginning June 25.

Fact from the Lumberman. The Mississippi Valley Lumberman publishes tables showing the comparative cut of lumber and shingles for the past ten years, and the cut of lath and the stock of lumber, lath and shingles remaining on hand at the close of each year for the past seven years. The statistics, as they relate to the Wisconsin River Valley, are as follows:

LUMBER AND LATH CUT EACH YEAR

Year	Lumber	Shingles
1891	49,644,000	10,271,000
1892	42,829,000	10,643,000
1893	24,496,000	8,195,000
1894	31,097,000	6,262,000
1895	29,741,000	5,920,000
1896	45,703,000	9,214,000
1897	55,581,000	10,315,000
1898	55,255,000	13,658,000
1899	57,270,000	15,067,000
1900	50,221,000	17,959,000
1901	45,251,000	15,525,000

LUMBER AND SHINGLES ON HAND AT THE END OF EACH YEAR

Year	Lumber	Shingles
1897	57,573,000	21,065,000
1898	52,059,000	18,951,000
1899	26,729,000	22,915,000
1900	54,211,000	35,732,000
1901	29,751,000	16,104,000
1902	27,120,000	15,525,000
1903	24,582,000	22,411,000

LATH AND SHINGLES ON HAND AT THE END OF EACH YEAR

Year	Lath	On hand
1897	31,634,000	31,193,000
1898	77,123,000	28,164,000
1899	91,751,000	13,428,000
1900	93,511,000	37,523,000
1901	104,661,000	31,506,000
1902	131,229,000	41,100,000
1903	116,501,00	

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A WEEK'S HISTORY

The Important Happenings of a Week Briefly Told.

JANUARY...1901						
Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
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10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

The proverbial ill wind is again blowing both ways at once in Rhode Island. The preachers of that little state are refusing to remarry divorced persons, and the justices of the peace find their business increasing rapidly. Love will find a way.

It is seldom that a great calamity is followed by such distinctly beneficial results as the Chicago theater horror has been. The present movement for better safety appliances against fire is the most widespread and energetic the country has ever known.

The death of Gen. Longstreet leaves vacant the office of national commission of railroads, and it is announced that no successor will be appointed. The office is a sinecure, but with the \$5,000 salary attaching to it, has been kept alive by the regular vote of congress for the sake of Gen. Longstreet.

The statistical atlas of the United States, recently issued, show that the average number of persons in a family has declined during the last 50 years from 5.6 to 4.1. When all the changes in the factors that make up the population are considered, this does not seem to be such an alarming decrease, after all.

In Paris, last year, 30,000 horses were eaten, and the supply was not equal to the demand. This has a horrible sound to American ears, and yet the only difference between the American and the Frenchman is that the Frenchman eats horseflesh knowingly and the American often eats it under the impression that he is consuming beefsteak.

A new religious sect, known as the "Christian Israelites," has appeared in Boston, with members scattered through Charlestown, Somerville, Bedford and Rosedale. Part of the creed for the men is allowing whiskers to grow as long as possible and the hair to such length that it has to be rolled up like a woman's. They predict the millennium in 1916.

Hysterical women need to lay in a good supply of camphor. Owing to the threat of war between Russia and Japan the world's supply of camphor promises to be cut off and may remain so for an indefinite time. Camphor is one of the necessary ingredients of snuffless powder and the far-sighted Japs do not intend to give the Russians any advantage in that respect.

The remains of James Smithson, founder of the Smithsonian Institution at Washington, arrived at New York recently from Genoa, where he died in 1829, and were conveyed by a government vessel to Washington for permanent burial. It is a deserved honor to the memory of one who was the pioneer in princely bequests for the cause of education and science in America.

King Edward is having trouble with his throat. Emperor William's health is so poor that he may be compelled to spend the rest of the winter in some warm climate. King Christian of Denmark has the gout. The czarina is confined to her room with an ear trouble. Francis Joseph is lame from the effects of a recent fall, and the king of Servia expects his health to fail at almost any moment. Truly this is a hard winter for royalty.

A Nebraska man shot another whose name was Gentleman. The doctor said the victim had a chance to recover, but a deadly ulcer got into the wound and he died. So the charge of murder in the first degree had to be withdrawn, and the assailant's neck was saved by a lacuna. This is a more extreme case than that of the mouse that freed the captive lion in the old fable. The name of the game, by the way, is "lacuna diplomata pulchra ergo genitrix."

George Francis Train, who died in New York the other night, aged 76, was one of the country's most picturesque characters. He began life as a farmer boy and grocery clerk, developed into a shipowner and railway promoter, and later into a globe trotter and author. For 25 years he had been noted mainly for his eccentricities, which in 1872 took the form of an independent candidacy for the presidency and caused him to be tried for insanity. He had made four trips around the world, and had a record of 60 days for the trip. He excelled the interest and wonderment of the world.

Every day or two modern science discovers that the human body possesses some organ of which it really has no need. The vermiform appendix is useful only for young surgeons to practice on and a doctor assures that people would live longer if they had no stomach. And now comes forward another scientist who says modern man has no use whatever for his teeth. After awhile they will get whittled down to where there is nothing left but a prehistoric bone and a bad temper. Then the millennium will come along and eliminate the temper.

Secretary Hay has received through M. Jemard, the French ambassador, a formal offer from the women of France of a bust of Washington. It is a replica of one destroyed by fire at the capitol in 1831, and which was the work of David of Angers. The original was presented to this country by France in 1822, and this offer to replace it is a bit of international courtesy pleasant to contemplate.

Secretary Hay will submit the offer to congress with a recommendation that it be accepted. Provision will be made for a ceremonial installation when it has been decided to accept it.

IN ALL PARTS OF THE UNION

All the Latest News of Interest from Washington, From the East, the West and the South.

THE LATEST FOREIGN DISPATCHES

FIFTY-EIGHT CONGRESS.

Summary of Daily Proceedings in the Senate and House.

On the 15th the senate referred to the committee on post offices the resolutions looking to an investigation of the post office department. Bills were introduced providing for the admission of Oklahoma and Indian Territory as one state and to prohibit the use of the mails in the conduct of various chain corporate chain investment schemes. The time in the house was occupied in considering the Hepburn pure food bill. An appropriation of \$200,000 was requested by Postmaster General Payne to enable the establishment of rural free delivery routes.

In the senate on the 20th Senator Patterson (Col) completed and Senator Platt (Conn.) began a speech on the Panama canal question. Senator Morgan (Ala) introduced a bill for the annexation of Panama to the United States.

In the house the Hepburn pure food bill was passed by a vote of 201 to 12. Mr. Zorod (Ind) spoke in favor of good roads.

On the 22d Senator Platt (Conn) concluded his speech on Panama in the senate. He defended the course of the president throughout. The army appropriation bill was under consideration by the house in committee of the whole for five hours, most of which time was devoted to a general discussion of the tariff question.

THREE WASHINGTON.

Senator Hanna made a plea for ship subsidies at the national board of trade convention banquet in Washington.

The control of the copper supply and markets of the world has passed to the hands of the Standard Oil company and the Rothschilds.

In the postal fraud trial in Washington A. W. Machen was accused by government counsel with "saving" \$20,000 yearly on \$25,000 salary.

Advice has been received at the navy department of arrival at Honolulu, of Rear Admiral Evans' battleship squadron, consisting of the Kentucky, Wisconsin and Oregon.

In session in Washington the National Board of Trade urged the government to begin the construction of ship canals between Chicago and the Atlantic ocean and Gulf of Mexico, and to construct a system of canals on the Atlantic coast.

THE EAST.

In Boston "Kid" Carter knocked out Joe Choynski in the first round of a fight and the police arrested both principals.

James Dunn, 17 years old, cured of a broken neck, has been discharged from a hospital in New York, where he had spent five months in a plaster cast.

Louis Ellin, 25 years of age, killed two of his children and herself in New York city.

An effort will be made by the New York Central railroad to break the world's speed record of 120 miles an hour made at Frosen, Germany.

Charles Baier, Harry Hoffman and John Keen, railmen on the Pennsylvania railroad, were killed by the cars near Lancaster, Pa.

In a speech at the Holland society dinner in New York the Chinese minister to the United States declared that The Hague tribunal offered a way to avoid war for every nation.

Three men were killed, three fatally injured and six more or less severely wounded by a bursting fly wheel in a nail mill at Johnstown, Pa.

WEST AND SOUTH.

Officials of the Santa Fe railroad were exonerated of a life sentence given John Devine for wrecking the Colorado express on October 20, by which 23 were injured.

For building violations eight churches are now closed in Chicago, and a police guard will prevent re-opening until repairs are made.

Eighty-two Smiths have served in the lower house of the congress of the United States.

Of the 220 members of the house of representatives 227 are lawyers; then there are manufacturers, 18; journalists, 16; bankers, 15; merchants, 5, and the rest in varied occupations.

Congressman Warcock, of Ohio, is one of the largest cattlemen in his state, owning several fine farms in Champaign county, all well stocked with cattle. In these properties he has invested the profits of twenty years' law practice and ten years on the bench. The judge is reckoned one of the shrewdest cattle breeders to be found anywhere.

Representative Cooper, of Wisconsin, recently received a telegram from the president of a dancing class up in the woods of Wisconsin asking whether the president wears a turn down collar with his evening clothes. "I don't know," Representative Cooper wired back. "Find out," came back a telegram reply, "for if he does we can't support him."

Thomas W. Hardwick, of the Tenth Georgia district, is the pigmy of the house, standing but 5 feet 1 inch in his high-heeled shoes, and weighing 167 pounds. When seated in the house his toes just touch the floor and his head is barely visible above the desk in front. Besides being quite diminutive he is very youthful in appearance, looking considerably younger than his 21 years. Mr. Hardwick has, however, a vast amount of energy and determination and it is probable that he has a long congressional career ahead of him.

FARM AND FIELD.

In order to develop a cattle industry in Nigeria, a number of milk cattle have been purchased in Barbados, and shipped direct to the west coast of Africa.

American hand and sulky plows are very much admired by farmers in the Orange river colony and Natal, and the only requirement to make them popular is a proper introduction by an intelligent American salesman.

In 1899 Florida and California produced 4,291,747 boxes of oranges, and we imported from the Mediterranean \$1,718,118 worth. At a valuation of \$1.50 a box this would have given every inhabitant 13 cents' worth of oranges that year.

Heavy floods and ice gorges in the rivers of Indiana, Ohio and Pennsylvania drove hundreds of families from their homes and caused great damage.

SIX MINERS LOST THEIR LIVES IN A CAVE-IN AT THE COAL MINE AT HOUSE, CO.

Three persons were burned to death and ten badly injured in a hotel fire at Marion, Ind.

At Moline, Ill., J. W. Warr, president of the Building and Loan association, has been indicted for embezzeling \$31,600. While drilling a well near Florence the first lake of oil ever discovered in Colorado was tapped.

Robbers stole the safe from the express car of the north-bound Sunset Limited train on the Southern Pacific railway near San Luis Obispo, Cal., and secured \$50,000.

FORTUNE INTELLIGENCE.

The congress of Cuba has adjourned sine die.

The death of Prof. Herman von Holst occurred at Freiburg, Germany. He was famous as a historian, and was the first professor and head of the department of history at the University of Chicago.

A constitution has been adopted by Panama which abolishes trade monopolies, establishes the death penalty for political crimes, and church and state are separated.

It is believed at the British foreign office Russia is willing to concede Japan's demands, but is opposed to a treaty recognizing China's sovereignty in Manchuria.

Great excitement prevailed over newly discovered gold fields 18 miles east of Tumcui, N. M.

An appeal was made by British friends of arbitration to the czar and the mikado to adjust the differences between Russia and Japan at The Hague. With his party from the east John Alexander Dowd sailed from San Francisco for Australia.

LATER NEWS.

Between 175 and 190 men were entombed by an explosion in the shaft of the Harwick coal company near Chewick, Ia.

The lower parts of Parkersburg, W. Va., are under water. This includes the business section of the town almost up to Third street, while the residence district is partly inundated.

Japanese merchants in Manila have received advice from the home government that in case of hostilities they had better transfer their business to Americans.

The house committee on Indian affairs ordered a favorable report on the Marshall bill to open the Devil's Lake, N. D., reservation to settlement and entry.

Two burglars escaped from the jail at Iowa City, Ia., by sawing thru the bars.

Carter H. Harrison, as mayor of Chicago, declared responsible for the ironclad theater disaster by the coroner's jury, in that he showed a lamentable lack of force and for his efforts to shield responsibility. He was held to the grand jury.

The American Bible association issues an appeal for funds, signed by President Roosevelt and other eminent men.

J. Smith Wadley, former Mormon bishop, is appointed assayer of mint at Boise, Idaho, despite charges against him.

American baseball association adopts constitution.

Mrs. N. C. Hargie, who died at Denton, Texas, left 163 great grandchildren.

While sleigh-riding at Anoka, Minn., Louis Flicker died suddenly from heart disease.

Ten thousand are rendered homeless by the fire at Alesund, Norway. Kaiser William of Germany has sent a relief ship.

Willard Catt, a whitecapper, was shot and wounded by Marshal Watson, of Pittsburg, Ind. Catt escaped and cannot be found.

A freight and passenger train on the Burlington road collided near Gardiner, Me., killing three passengers.

The lower house of congress passed the army appropriation bill, carrying \$30,000,000, after adopting several amendments.

The Cherokee Indians threaten to rise and make trouble.

SAFE STOLEN FROM TRAIN.

Express Strong Box Looted at Louisville. Amount of Treasure—

Money Placed at \$40,000.

San Francisco, Jan. 22.—While the Southern Pacific company's Sunset Limited train was climbing the rough mountains between San Luis Obispo and San Ardo Wednesday night a Wells Fargo treasure box was mysteriously stolen out of the express car in the water deal. The robbery was said to have begun Thursday, but it is said that as a result of Wednesday's verdict of guilty in the Ellen case, McCool decided to change his plea to guilty. Soon after ex-City Clerk Isaac F. Lamoreaux also changed his plea of not guilty to guilty. He was charged with conspiracy in the water deal, also having acknowledged the receipt of money from Salisbury.

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GREAT AUCTION SALE

AT THE
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The Newest and best stock of Men's and Boys' Wearing Apparel to be sacrificed at the People's Own Prices.

In a few words we will explain why we are having an auction.—We will greatly enlarge our store for the spring and therefore must have most goods out of the way and have resolved to rid ourselves of all winter goods at the people's own price.

AUCTION COMMENCES Monday, Feb. 1, at 2 p.m.

Private Sale During the Morning and whenever Auction is not in Progress.

Be Sure and be on hand to buy goods at your own figures.

Two Auctions Daily:

AFTERNOON AUCTION COMMENCES AT 2:00 O'clock

EVENING AUCTION COMMENCES AT 7:00 O'clock

THE BUCK CLOTHING COMPANY,

Hinman Building,

RHINELANDER, WIS.

16 West Davenport St.,

County Board Proceedings.
Official Publication.

The following resolution was read.

Resolved by the County Board that there be and hereby is appropriated the sum of \$792.24 and that the same be levied in the annual tax levy for 1903 for the purpose of paying the amount which the county is required to pay as its share of the cost of erecting a bridge over the Pelican river pursuant to action of County Board June 3rd 1903.

Edw. B. Crofoot, Supervisor.

Moved by Supervisor Crofoot and seconded by Supervisor Wubker that the resolution be adopted as read. Carried, all of the supervisors voting aye.

On motion Board adjourned until December 7, 1903 at 2 p.m.

Wm. W. Carr, County Clerk.
Rhinelander, Wis. Dec. 7, 1903.

2 o'clock p.m.

Office of County Clerk,

Oneida County, Wis.

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No. 5, E. O. Brown. Petition for cancellation of certificates Nos. 1419, 1461, 1138, 1001, 883, 833, 719 and 659, sale of 1903. We recommend petition be granted and amounts to several towns 7 per cent charged with interest at which lands are located, as same was state, government or homestead or incorrectly described when assessed.

No. 6, Wm. Carr, County Clerk. Petition for cancellation of certificates No. 986, 987, sale of 1899 and No. 349, 350, 456, 490, 557, 558, 560, 561, 619, 620, 621, 622, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 1082, 1099, 1131, 1168, 1170, 1218, 1407, 1564, 1957, 1979, 1980, 1982, 2035, 2036, 2048, 2076, 2098, 2132, 2160, 2224, 2343, 2440, sale of 1900, we recommend that petition be granted and amounts charged to towns in which lands are located as same were vacant lands when assessed.

No. 7, R. Thelemann. Petition for face and interest on certificate No. 1668, sale of 1900, we recommend that same be allowed and amount \$4.03 be charged to the town of Pelican as same was state land when assessed.

No. 8, Doyle & McGonigal, petition for cancellation of deed on nw sec. 28, 39, 5, sale of 1899, cert. No. 705, sale of 1901, No. 319, sale 1902; 390 sale 1903, recommended petition be granted as land was vacant government at time of assessment.

No. 9, Paine Lumber Co., petition for cancellation of deed on ne ne, sec. 7, 37, 10, sale 1898, we recommend that petition be granted and the amount \$18.61, charged to town of Pelican as tax was paid town treasurer.

No. 10, S. D. Sattif. Petition for refund of face and interest on certificate No. 171, 2168, 2169, sale of 1900, we recommend bill be allowed and charged to town of Crescent, as certificates were previously cancelled by court.

No. 11, L. A. Doolittle, bill for illegal tax certificates Nos. 3075 and 3084 sale of 1899 recommended bill be allowed \$15.26 7 per cent interest \$4.25 and the amount \$19.51 charged to town of Monroe as taxes were paid town treasurer.

No. 12, Wm. Brabham. Bill for refund of face of certificate No. 1016, sale of 1902 with 7 per cent interest recommended bill be allowed, certificate having been previously cancelled by order of court.

No. 13, Robt. G. Foster, petition for cancellation of certificates No. 517 sale 1896, 301 sale 1901, 139 sale 1902 recommend petition be granted as lands belonged to County when assessed.

No. 14, L. A. Doolittle, bill for illegal tax certificates Nos. 3075 and 3084 sale of 1899 recommended bill be allowed \$15.26 7 per cent interest \$4.25 and the amount \$19.51 charged to town of Monroe as taxes were paid town treasurer.

No. 15, A. W. Brown. Bill for refund of face of certificate No. 1016, sale of 1902 with 7 per cent interest recommended bill be allowed, certificate having been previously cancelled by order of court.

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No. 17, John Russell, petition for cancellation of tax deed on nw sec. 23-35-8, sale of 1899 and 1900, we recommend that petition be granted as lands belonged to county when assessed.

No. 18, Lena Hack, petition for

cancellation of tax deeds on nw sec. 25-36-8, sales of 1899 and 1900, recommend that petition be granted as lands belonged to county when assessed.

No. 19, Chas. Janisch, guardian of J. J. Meyer, petition for cancellation of deed on lot 1 sec. 16-39-5 sale of 1897, recommend that petition be granted as lands belonged to state at time of assessment.

No. 20, Kate Pier, bill for \$5.50 for illegal tax deed issued on sale of 1893, disallowed as statutes of limitations has run.

No. 21, Jessie H. Prudeaux, no action taken.

No. 22, Lake Region Land Co., bill for \$3.06 refund for illegal q.e. bill on sw sec. 28-37-7 recommend same be allowed and amount charged to town of Cassian as paid town treasurer.

No. 23, Wm. Bonack, petition for cancellation of tax deed on nw sec. 28, 39, 5, sale of 1899, cert. No. 705, sale of 1901, No. 319, sale 1902; 390 sale 1903, recommended petition be granted as land was vacant government at time of assessment.

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TO THE

RENTERS of HOMES!



Have you ever stopped to consider that the money you pay out each month for rent could easily be turned toward paying for a home of your own and that in the course of a few years you would

OWN A HOME.

Better decide to build. Bring us your bill and let us give you an estimate on what the material would cost you. We carry a complete line of building material and are able to give you figures that will certainly please you.

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Like a blind man and a fool is the Grocer who thinks he can fool you and not be found out. Our business is based upon the confidence you give us. We never attempt to say anything to you which might be an exaggeration of facts. We try to give you more than we promise, rather than less and we cheerfully say money back if you want it.

Random Lake Cheese—The Best Yet.

Have you tried it? If you use the best cheese money can buy you have.

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BITS OF LOCAL GOSSEL

H. Lewis, the one-price clothier, has them all. Harry Shepard of Beaver Dam Son-dashed here. N. T. Baldwin came up from Monroe Saturday. Carl Krueger returned from Green Bay Saturday. C. A. Carling was at Echo on business Saturday. **FOR RENT.** Two good office rooms Enquire at this office. Mrs. E. H. Hayman of Woodruff did shopping here Friday. Wm. Lawrence of Oshkosh was here Friday and Saturday. D. A. Kahn was down from Woodruff last Thursday and Friday. Miss Margaret Brasell entertains tomorrow evening at the Alpine Hotel. Thos. O'Hare, Janitor at the Court House, has been on the sick list this week. Larry Nolan was in from his home, steady in the Town of Newbold over Sunday. Oscar Carlson went up to Arbor Vista Sunday and spent a few days on business.

Editor Bert Walters of the Eagle River Review was in the city visiting his people over Sunday. Pat Plunkett was over from Dayton's camp near Faville and spent Sunday with his family.

Rev. John DeJung, pastor of the German Lutheran church, held service at Eagle River Sunday.

Frank Esed, who has been in the city for several months, returned to his home in Berlin Friday night.

H. E. Smith, a well known Escanaba, Mich., man, looked after business affairs in our city this week.

William Daniels came home from Bay City, Mich., Saturday, where he attended the funeral of his brother.

Mrs. Gen. Burau went to Three Lakes Saturday to spend the balance of the winter with her husband.

M. W. Lloyd looked after the interests of the Lard, Log & Lumber Company up in Vilas county this week.

WANTED. Twenty salesladies and ten clothing salesmen. Apply Saturday at J. P. Hansen's, 112 Brown street.

Myron Mather of the firm of Mather Bros., mill owners at State Line, did business in the city the latter end of the week.

C. P. Crosby left Thursday night for the south part of the state where he will spend several days on lumber business.

Jno. Farmaworth went to Ishpeming in Racine Sunday night after a three month's stay in the city working at the paper mill.

Mrs. W. H. Ashton entertained the members of the Afternoon Club Club at her home on Oneida Avenue Friday afternoon.

Roy Brown is handling freight for the North-Western road at this station. He entered upon his duties Monday morning.

Mrs. A. Schusman returned to her home in Eagle River Saturday morning after a visit of two weeks with Mrs. Chas. Hodgdon.

Max Sells, the prominent Florence legal light and real estate man, was in Rhinelander last Thursday on business connected with his profession.

The younger ladies of church members will hold their social at the Congregational parsonage Friday evening, Jan. 23, social from 7:15 to 9:00 o'clock.

James Ewright of Gladstone, Mich., was in the city Friday, leaving on the North-Western Limited for Antigo where he will remain a few days on business.

Mrs. Emma Lawrence and daughter Miss Gladys are making their home in the Snyder residence during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Snyder at Hot Springs.

Robert Blackburn, the retail lumberman, was up from Milwaukee Friday, making negotiations with the local dealers for several car lots of lumber.

The Twentieth Century Club Club was entertained by Dr. and Mrs. C. H. O'Connor at their home on King street Friday evening. The prizes were won by Mrs. Frank Sawtell and D. R. Thompson.

J. P. Hansen, the leading clothier in Rhinelander.

A fresh lot of Zion candles at Bronson's.

R. A. Douglas of Ironwood was here Tuesday.

Harry Allen was over from Bundy the first of the week.

W. D. Bartell of Colby was at the Rapids House Monday.

Nick Griveling of Merrill spent last week visiting in this city.

F. W. Andrews of Crandon was seen on our streets Tuesday.

Ang. Richter was up from Milwaukee on business yesterday.

Remember the Bioscope entertainment at the Grand Feb. 1 and 5.

J. F. Smith has been down from Lac du Flambeau during the week.

Miss Anna Ruth of Ripon is visiting at the home of Julius Itten on Anderson street.

Dr. P. H. Stewart was at Hiles last Thursday where his professional services were needed.

Axel Lindgren has disposed of his residence property on the north side to M. Christianson.

Manager Geo. Cobb of the Grand opera house enjoyed Sunday with his family at Ashland.

John Jansen of Manawa, one of the Woodruff & Maguire Company's head men, was here yesterday.

Al. Hafner, who has charge of J. Quail & Co.'s retail yards at Three Lakes, is in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Thompson entertained the Tweatlets' Century Club Club Saturday evening.

J. H. Burns of Tower, Minn., was in the city Friday and Saturday speculating in Oneida county lands.

The Congregational Ladies' Aid Society meet with Mrs. A. W. Brown next Wednesday, February 3rd.

Steve Kettner expects to leave in the spring for Germany, where he will spend several months at his brother's home.

Carl H. Donaldson was in Minneapolis the first of the week on lumber business for the firm of Mason & Donaldson.

Miss Harriett Walsh gave a "pit" party last Thursday evening to a number of her friends at her home on the south side.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. B. R. Lewis next Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 27. An attendance of all members is requested.

W. Neufeldt and wife of Antigo were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rutz. Mr. Neufeldt is yard foreman for the North-Western road at Antigo.

J. Segerstrom is spending part of his time at Ironwood, Mich., looking after the extensive jewelry business of his brother who is at Hot Springs, Ark., for his health.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Jilson came up from Monroe Saturday to witness the production of "We are King" as presented by Walker Whiteside at the Grand that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smith have returned to Rhinelander to again make their home. Mr. Smith prefers Wisconsin to the south in its desirability for a permanent residence.

Roy Wilson, who has been holding a position with a plumbing concern at Oshkosh arrived home Thursday afternoon to make his parents a visit. He will remain for a few weeks.

Miss Emily Harton, the recent teacher in the school at Tripp, departed Saturday morning for her home in Little Rapids. As yet no one has been secured to fill Miss Harton's vacancy.

Olaf Rosen, the Blue Grass Land Company's local agent, who since the beginning of winter has been in Sweden, writes that he will sail for America the last of this month and will be back in Rhinelander by the middle of February.

The Misses Hazel and Eva Hildebrand and Miss Frances Coon entertained a number of their young friends at a dancing party at Gilligan's hall Friday evening. The inspiration for the occasion was furnished by Wilson's orchestra.

Supposing you're busted—haven't a dime.

Getting poor isn't a serious crime; Put on a bold front, work with all your might.

You're sure to win by taking Rocky Mountain Tea at night.

J. J. Reardon.

Albert Brouette is working for the Rhinelander Brewing Co.

Frank Gardner was the guest of Alouqua friends over Sunday.

S. D. Sutliff and Oscar Jenne were over from Woodboro yesterday.

Have you tried the Zion candles at Bronson's. New lot just received.

FOR SALE—Pony, sleigh and harness. Enquire of Mrs. J. T. Hagan.

Dry 16 inch and 4 foot soft wood for sale. Enquire of Ernest Henning, 15.

Mrs. Lucy DeMars is reported to be quite ill at her home on Anderson street.

Dry tamarack wood for sale. 16 inch and 4 foot. Enquire of S. Kelley, city, Jan. 28-11.

Merritt McLaughlin was up from Echo yesterday buying goods for the company's store.

Martin Johnson, one of the leading business men of Tomahawk Lake, was in town yesterday.

The arrival of a little daughter brought joy to the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hazen Thursday morning, Jan. 28.

O. E. Bales, the Scranton Correspondence School's man, looked after his pupils in Rhinelander Monday and Tuesday.

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Arousing a Conscience

By CLYDE MONTAGUE

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He termed an "office" in connection with his bachelor apartment. His stenographer was already rattling off the speech on the typewriter. He always had his own stenographer take his speeches, as he liked to see them in cold type just as he made them. It helped him in self-criticism.

"They seemed to like the speech, Miss Wilson," he said, laughing in a self-satisfied way. "What did you think of it?"

The girl turned her serious face and clear gray eyes toward him, and after a moment's hesitation, replied:

"I think it was a very clever and a very eloquent and a very convincing speech, Mr. Melbourne, but I would have had my right hand cut off before I would have delivered it."

Melbourne paused in the removal of his gloves, and looked a trifle puzzled and annoyed.

"Why?" he asked. "Surely your clear head has not become tangled by these ramblings."

"No, it isn't that," she replied, "and I cannot argue it with you, of course. But I was thinking of those poor settlers who have gone out into that wilderness and all of the toll and hardships they have gone through and now Uncle Sam is to tell them as he told the Indians, 'Move on.' And they must go out and find other bad lands that nobody else wants and start over again and starve and suffer and endure. And they are so much older now and it means the same hard life for the younger generation and the one following that I fear. And the women and children have suffered so much."

Her eyes had grown softer and softer as she progressed and they were bright with tears as she stopped, her voice trailing off into something between a whisper and sob at the last. Melbourne's face was serious and the amused expression had been swallowed up by the puzzled.

"What do you know about these people, Miss Wilson?" he asked.

"I lived among them once," she said as she turned to the machine and began to rattle the keys.

Melbourne passed into his inner office, sat down at his desk and went to work at his papers. His face was still serious and every now and then a look of annoyance would steal into it.

The months sped by. The Bracken bill became a law and was attacked by an attorney representing the settlers.

The Irrigation Corporation retained Robert Melbourne as chief counsel, assisted by the ablest lawyers in the country.

The matter was rushed into the supreme court to ascertain the constitutionality of the provisions of the law that deprived the settlers of their claim to the land they held. Melbourne took a great interest in the case, as it promised to be a famous one, and a victory would give him wide prestige.

He worked hard and diligently on the brief and ransacked the law books night and day for precedents. His stenographer wrote and rewrote the various paragraphs over and over again. Once in awhile he glanced at her grave face and calm eyes a doubt would possess him, but he would dismiss it and plunge into the work harder than ever.

At last the brief was finished and Melbourne asked Miss Wilson to read it to him. It was a habit of his to have her do this while he sat with closed eyes and tried to pick a vulnerable point. He could not find the suggestion of a flaw in this one.

"Well, Miss Wilson," he said, "I call that a work of art. I can't see how they can get away from those propositions, do you?"

"No sir, I do not," she replied, "and it certainly is a work of art. But I would rather that my brother, or my father, were in their graves than that they should do that thing—even with all the fame it would bring them."

He looked at her intently for a moment, then rose abruptly and went out, saying:

"I am going out of town for a few days—maybe two weeks. Put the brief in the safe. I will be back in time to file it."

It was fully two weeks before he returned. When he did he asked Miss Wilson to bring him the brief in the Bracken case. It was in the late fall and a fire was burning in the open grate. He glanced the brief through and tossed it into the blaze.

The girl started and looked at him in surprise.

"I have been out there among these people," he said, regarding her intently.

"And I have resented as counsel in this case. I have learned many things I never dreamed of in the past two weeks.

Among them that I had a conscience and a heart to balance what few brains Providence gave me. And I have learned that that conscience and that heart which I need is personified in you. I knew you, Miss Wilson—Clara will you help me place my life and my motives on a higher plane?"

The world was scarcely less surprised at Robert Melbourne's resignation from the Bracken law case than at his marriage to his stenographer. But Melbourne had many other surprises in store for the world.

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Right Spell the Pleasure.

A German chemist claims to have dis-

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FOR THE COMPLEXION.

Some of the Things Which Women Who Care for Their Health and Looks Should Not Do.

Don't eat when very tired, if you expect to get any good from your food and preserve your beauty.

Don't eat more than one hearty meal a day. This is the secret of good looks and long life—a secret which if every one followed the doctors could not make a living.

Don't eat much meat in warm weather if you would keep your skin free from eruptions.

Don't eat hot or fresh bread if you want to be healthy and beautiful.

Don't eat cold, starchy foods, like potato salad and cold porridge, unless you have strong digestive organs.

Don't eat ice cream too fast. Eat slowly and allowed to melt in the mouth it can do no harm.

Don't drink ice water. Cool water quenches thirst much better than ice cold fluid.

Don't drink much water at meals, but take a glassful the first thing in the morning and the last thing at night.

Don't drink too much coffee or tea unless you want a complexion like leather in color and texture.

Don't eat potatoes, peas, macaroni, cream, olive oil, pastry and bonbons if you want to lose flesh.

Don't go to bed hungry. A glass of milk or a cupful of chocolate will refresh you.

Don't think you can eat too much spinach, lettuce, watercress, candelion or carrots. They are complexion beautifiers.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

GOOD INCOMES AS AGENTS.

Life Insurance Work a Profitable Field for Women, Says One Enthusiastic Feminine Salesman.

Life insurance work offers a profitable field to women nowadays. If she be bright and energetic she easily can realize an income of \$5,000 a year. Her commissions depend entirely on her own endeavors.

The possibilities for women in the life insurance are limitless," said one of the best known women workers. "With all the women that are working at it now it still is a practically unworked field.

"From my experience in the business I should say that it is the best possible life for a woman to enter. She is absolutely independent, and, best of all, she knows she is making money. Furthermore, she is able to lift herself out of the rut of woman's occupations in general.

"In life insurance a woman has the most broadening experience. She meets all classes of people. In a short time she develops new facilities. She learns to read human nature, which is the telling part of the business. For her own benefit I should advise any young girl or woman whose circumstances compel her to earn her own living to grasp these excellent opportunities."

The bill was for the reclamation of a vast arid territory. It gave extraordinary powers and privileges to a corporation formed for the purpose on condition that a mammoth system of irrigation be established and maintained.

A great opposition had developed from two sources. On one hand the natural hostility of the public to grants to private corporations and the inevitable screaming of demagogic politicians and newspapers had aroused a clamor. From another source came a cry that had enlisted a more reputable and intelligent protest. In the plans to reclaim the wilderness it was necessary to wipe out the claims to title of an inconsiderable number of small settlers. These claims to title were very shaky and the value of the property involved was almost nothing. It was necessary to have a clean title to the entire tract and the bill provided clearly for the wiping out of the vague shadows of claims held by the squatters. This aroused a protest which helped out the demagogic anti-corporation wall until the opposition had become so formidable and the talk of "boycott" so great that many members who were really in favor of the bill dared not vote for it. He had assured himself that there were favorable votes enough if the members dared to. So he had taken the floor at the last moment and met the opposition face to face—granted that a private corporation would be the beneficiary and that hundreds of settlers would be obliged to move on or perfect their title under the new conditions which imposed a tribute to the new company. Then he turned and pictured with master hand the transportation of a wilderness almost uninhabited into a garden spot teeming with life and overflowing with milk and honey—a trackless desert avoided by man and beast charred with an Aladdin's touch to an empire inhabited by happy and prosperous men and women and children and able to feed half the nation. And this Aladdin who was to do this was the new corporation and his accomplices the route thousands of gold dollars to be spent before the dream could be real. He stowed the safe guards thrown about the rights of the people and the limitations placed on the company. He referred with scorn and contempt to the hollowness of the opportunist demagogues and journalistic sensationalists which he said stood ever and always against every great constructive measure and every fearless step forward.

In a single touch he exploded the claims of the settlers and showed that they had no legal title whatever to the land on which they had squatted. He ended with a splendid peroration demanding that courage and honesty govern the votes cast and that the greatest good to the greatest number and the onward progress of the race should not be hampered by timidity, sentimentality and demagogic.

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